

INTEND TO WED

E. Clements, 21, also of Lomita, William Tolbert, 28, of 24736 Kenneth J. Bower, 21, of 1650 Narbonne avenue, Lomita, and 259th street, Lomita, and Ethel Ilo A. Pague, 25, of San Pedro.

PAINTING • PAPERHANGING
"Bob" Richhart

"In Torrance Since 1917"

- Artistic Workmanship
 - Best Quality Materials
 - Reasonable Prices
- Estimates Cheerfully Given
1811 GRAMERCY AVENUE
Phone Torrance 71



TORRANCE PLUMBING CO.

GUARANTEED PLUMBING REPAIR SERVICE

Servel Electrolux Refrigerators
Andrews Fraser Floor
Wall Heaters Furnaces

Magic Chef Gas Ranges
General Water Heaters

MODERNIZE NOW WITH NEW PLUMBING ON FHA

F. L. PARKS
PHONE 60

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE
1418 MARCELINA AVENUE

Simple Home Plan Provides for Additions.

Co. Road Tax May Be Revived

Increase of three cents in the Los Angeles county road district tax to place it back where it was from 1931 to 1934 is proposed in the budget of the county road department as submitted to the board of supervisors. This year's levy was seven cents, but there was no levy for 1935 or 1936.

Restoration of the county road tax, which applies only to unincorporated territory, is declared necessary because the state will deduct some \$1,900,000 from the county's share of gasoline tax funds again next year to pay the county's relief debt to the state. This was done this year.

The levy, as high as 60 cents before the advent of the gasoline tax, has been gradually reduced each year since 1908, although it slipped back up to 60 cents for 1910 and 1911. This year's seven-cent levy produced \$280,000; a 10-cent levy would produce about \$350,000.

Shoeman to Build Home on Martina

Kenneth Ruffell, "Kenny the Shoeman," will start home-building soon because his plans were F.H.A. approved this week. The lot selected is on Martina near 220th. Sale of lot was thru B. C. Buxton, 1900 Torrance boulevard.

To Reorganize T.H.S. Alumni

Reorganization of the Torrance High Alumni association, which has not been functioning as it should, is planned by a committee headed by Albert Isen. He has called a meeting in the high school music room at 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday evening, May 10.

All former members of the association and old grads who wish to join are urged to attend. Plans for a homecoming day to be held in connection with commencement week will be discussed.

COLLEGE DATA HEARD

Detailed information on college data was given members of the senior class at Torrance high school Tuesday morning by delegation from Whittier College and Los Angeles Junior college.

Marigolds Have Rich Velvety Colors



Marigold

Rich and velvety mahogany reds and browns, crimson, yellows and orange are the colors which make marigolds a brilliant part of the landscape. Huge plants that grow to 4 feet tall with blossoms like chrysanthemums, and tiny sparklers no bigger than a bachelor's button are all members of this favorite flower family; and they all bloom from midsummer through fall.

Give them plenty of room to grow; 18 inches to 2 feet for the large ones is good. They like fertile soil, but cannot stand over-feeding, which will result in spindly, rank growth of foliage at the expense of flowers and late blooming. Marigolds should spin up to a bud at once and then proceed to branch out and make good bushes.

Sow seed in the open ground only after all danger of frost is past. They can also be started indoors in a box when earlier bloom is wanted. Stake them to protect from high winds.

New marigolds of outstanding appearance are available this year. Among the desirable qualities these newest blooms possess is a delicate fragrance, which contrasts with the pungent odor of older types.

FHA LOANS

TITLE NO. 1. Unsecured. For remodeling, repairs or additions to your home, call at the Consolidated Lumber Co., as we are now prepared to negotiate your loan in our own office without any delay.

Consolidated Lumber Co.
TORRANCE

F.H.A. Payments for This House \$31 Monthly



Area: 1,150 square feet
Cost: \$4,000

A simple exterior design and a plan that provides for future additions are the high-lights of the small house shown here. It is the work of D. R. Wilkinson and R. M. Crosby, architects.

With a moderate building cost as one of the main considerations, a construction of wood frame and clapboard is suggested, with a wood shingle roof and wooden shutters which may be painted to give the desired color contrast to the exterior. Under the 25-year loan plan of the Federal Housing Administration, payments for a house of this type will amount to approximately \$31 per month.

A roofed-over front porch gives a hospitable effect to the entrance of the house. The porch floor may be paved with brick for added ornamentation. The rooms in the original plan, including the future bedroom, are all reached from an inside entry. The living room has windows on two sides, with a French door at the rear opening onto the garden. An open fireplace is also included in this room.

Future Bedroom, Bath
A breakfast room is included in the plan in place of a dining room as a means of conserving space. Although small it is a pleasant room with a view of the garden and built-in corner cupboards for china.

The kitchen includes everything for efficient domestic routine, with plenty of cupboards and storage space and the equipment routed in a manner that will save steps for the housewife in the preparation and serving of meals.

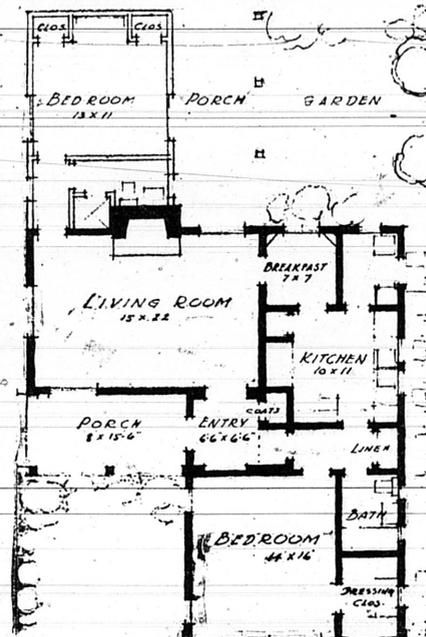
The bedroom has ample light and ventilation and is provided with a large dressing closet.

In the plan the architect has made provision for a future bedroom and bath comprising an additional area of 388 square feet. Access to this room would be through the living room and its addition to the house would in no way disrupt the original arrangement.

C. P. Roberts, Publisher, Dies

(Continued from Page 1-A)
Two years. In 1925 he started his Wilmington Press as a weekly and a year and a half later it became a daily. When Mr. Roberts was named postmaster two years ago, his son Preston was named president of that newspaper.

EGG Weighs 1 1/2 Pounds
ALBANY, N. Y. (U.P.)—An egg weighing half a pound and measuring eight by nine inches was laid by a White Leghorn hen here.



Youth Has Fling in Boys' Week Observance Here

(Continued from Page 1-A)
the municipality and other allied topics.

Last Saturday Arvol Smith had the largest number of visitors signed in his guest-register at the J. C. Penney Company store.

He received a \$5 award from the Torrance Retail Merchants' association in addition to the \$2 which was paid all of the 21 boys who serves as "guest-managers" in the local stores and shops.

Visit Industrial Plants
Despite the rain, which forced cancellation of the boys-older men's ball game Saturday night at the city park, approximately 100 youngsters were guests of the 20-30 club at the picnic grounds for a wienie-bake.

Sunday was Boys' Day in Church and a number of local pastors cooperated by delivering special sermons and allowing the young men to serve as ushers. A sizable crowd attended the joint evening service in the Civic Auditorium where a program based on the theme of "Ideals of Youth" was presented by the Central Evangelical, Baptist, Christian and Methodist pastors. Ralph Gilbert presided.

A number of high school boys toured Los Angeles industries and the National Supply plant here Monday as that was Boys' Day in Industry. Among the

Young Fighter Jailed Here On 3 Counts

"He has been looking for a fight for the past four weeks," was the notation attached to the booking of Charles Pryor, 20, of Wilmington, when he was arrested here last Saturday for (1) being drunk; (2) disturbing the peace; and (3) battery.

Haled into court with most of his truculence sobered out of him, Pryor plead guilty to all three charges and was fined \$15 or five days in jail for counts 1 and 2 and \$30 or 10 days suspended on condition that he remains out of Torrance for two years for count No. 3.

Offers Good Advice to Young Couples
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Birch have just bought a new home on 218th street. Birch thinks every young couple should follow suit because "with the prices prevailing today, it's the best way in the world to save money." The sale was negotiated by B. C. Buxton.

plants visited were Howard's automobile agency, Grand Central and United Airports, the Los Angeles Examiner and the Columbia Broadcasting plant at Columbia Square in Hollywood. Panel discussions on subjects of interest to boys were conducted in a number of high school classrooms yesterday.

Oil Boom Draws Movie Men; Six New Rigs Start

(Continued from Page 1-A)
to run casing on its No. 23 on Sepulveda between Narbonne and Pennsylvania.

Hansco Rigging Up
Reports indicate that Patton-Moacham is flowing better than 200 barrels on the last location west on 229th. The Texas company is preparing to cement a water string on its Wilson Community No. 5, and Neal H. Anderson is building a derrick to drill at the southwest corner of 231st and Pennsylvania.

Hansco Oil company is rigging on the southeast corner of 227th and Pennsylvania; Albertson Oil is rigging on the southwest corner. Elyod Oil's well is holding its production of better than 220 barrels on 220th between Narbonne and Pennsylvania.

Special Cachet for Lomita Air Mail

(Continued from Page 1-A)
doek said yesterday. The Lomita Chamber of Commerce Air Mail Week committee, A. E. Franklin, Romley Harvey and Dr. Bullock, has approved the design of the emblem and ordered a large supply of envelopes.

Postmaster Paddock announced this week that Vernon Hart, Narbonne high school student, had been named winner of the Lomita air mail essay contest. The judges, Mrs. Lena Preston, Harbor City postmaster, Miss Anne Carrio and Miss Paddock, had considerable difficulty in selecting the best out of 10 outstanding essays submitted by Lomita school teachers as the best of those written by the students last week. The judge's award coincided with that of the instructors; it was found when the latest sealed report was opened. The 10 best papers were submitted by Elizabeth Anderson, Francis Murphy, Marilyn Routsong, Frances McDonald, Victoria Leysen, William Myerscough, Alfred Trefethen, Hugh Lamm and Frank Barbeck. The air mail poster contest was won by Ernest Venema in Lomita, according to the judges, Mrs. Herschell Crum and Moade Ferguson.

Ancient Tear Vase Shown
STAYTON, Ore. (U.P.)—A tear vase which was used in the Holy Land centuries ago was the oldest antique at the exhibit here.

Why Pay RENT? Buy a HOME for less

Owning a Home is Actually Cheaper Than Paying Rent!

Experts have proved it, . . . the government believes in it . . . check these figures for yourself:

Appraised Value of Average New 2-Bedroom House and Lot	\$3500
Average Monthly Rental on This Type of Property	30
Monthly Payments To Buy Under FHA, Including Principal, Interest, Taxes and Insurance, 25-Year-Plan (20-Year-Plan \$26 Monthly)	24
Saving Each Month	\$4.00 to \$6.00

FIGURE THE COST OF YOUR OWN LOAN FROM THE TABULATION BELOW . . .

Appraised Value of House and Lot	Cash Required or Value of Lot Owned	Amount of Loan Obtainable	Monthly Payments Including Principal Payments, Interest, Taxes and Insurance.	
			20-Year Plan	25-Year Plan
\$2000	\$200	\$1800	\$16.00	\$15.00
\$2500	\$250	\$2250	\$19.00	\$17.00
\$3000	\$300	\$2700	\$23.00	\$21.00
\$3500	\$350	\$3150	\$26.00	\$24.00
\$4000	\$400	\$3600	\$30.00	\$27.50
\$5000	\$500	\$4500	\$38.00	\$35.00
\$6000	\$600	\$5400	\$45.00	\$41.00

*Plus usual Service Charges, Escrow Fee and Title Search. Above Figures Apply ONLY to Owner-Occupied Single Family Dwellings. Other Attractive FHA Terms Are Offered on Multiple Family Dwellings and Modernization of Existing Structures!

FOR FREE INFORMATION and assistance on home planning and financing, consult the

Better Housing Committee
Torrance Chamber of Commerce
1345 EL PRADO • NEXT TO CIVIC AUDITORIUM • PHONE 881

Why Pay Rent? IT'S VASTLY CHEAPER TO OWN YOUR OWN HOME!

• Take Advantage of the New FHA Loan Plan. All You Need is 10% of the Total Valuation of House and Lot!!!

BUILDING MATERIALS ARE LOW!
Now is the time to build a new home, or to repair or add to your present home under Title 1 of FHA! . . . will gladly and without charge co-operate with you in compiling costs and estimates to present to your banker for a loan!

Torrance Lumber Co.
1752 Border Ave. Phone 61

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING

TORRANCE ELECTRIC SHOP
1421 MARCELINA AVENUE PHONE 567

Select Your LOT Now!
\$150 \$350 \$500 \$1000

Buxton
1960 TORRANCE BLVD. PHONE 172

PITTSBURGH PAINTS
Smooth as Glass

Wallpaper for walls and ceilings. Flashing Enamel makes unsightly floors gleam. Waterpar Enamel for woodwork and furniture. Waterpar Varnish for woodwork, floors, linoleum. Sun-Proof Paint for exterior use. Lasts Longer.

BUY IT NOW

WATERPAR ENAMEL

CITY
Paint & Wallpaper Store
1324 Sartori Phone 251

Phone for **350**

SHEET METAL WORK

• MACHINE GUARDS
• BLOW PIPE
• VENTILATION
• SKYLIGHTS
• TANKS. • PANS

Columbia Sheets Used Exclusively

Torrance Sheet Metal Shop
Robt. T. McCullum
1418 MARCELINA